

April 12, 2018

City of Burlington Board of Health
645 Pine Street
Burlington, VT 05401-4920

Re: Herbicide Application
Global Companies – Burlington Terminal
2 Flynn Avenue, Burlington, VT

Dear Sir or Madam:

Global Companies LLC (Global) is submitting this letter to request approval from the City of Burlington Department of Health for the annual application of herbicide at our petroleum bulk storage facility located at 2 Flynn Avenue in Burlington, Vermont. Global proposes to apply the herbicide within the secondary containment area around the bulk storage tanks at the facility as well as along the perimeter fence as discussed with the Board last year. The purpose of the herbicide application is to maintain the integrity of the impermeable secondary containment system, maintain adequate perimeter security per Federal Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasure (SPCC) Regulations and to comply with fire prevention standards. The total area of application is approximately 7 acres of the 11 acre property.

Attached, please find the following documents in support of the request;

- A written contract specifying the herbicide(s) to be applied, (Rodeo Herbicide – Active ingredients Glyphosphate N-(phosphonomethyl) glycine, Isopropylamine Salt); the EPA Registration Number (EPA Registration #62719-324); and the name, address and phone number of the vendor (Vegetation Control Service).
- A sample Notification to adjacent landowners.
- A copy of the herbicide specimen label.
- A Safety Data Sheet.

Please note that Dow AgroSciences changed the name for the product used at the facility from Accord to Rodeo. The products carry identical active ingredients and the same EPA Registration number. According to the contract, additional treatments may be required depending on the effectiveness of the initial application. If additional treatment(s) is required, Global will contact William Ward or the Board of Health prior to application. Prior to and following each herbicide application, Global will adhere to the posting and notification requirements under Chapter 17 Section 17-9(d)(3).

We will continue our efforts to reduce the use of herbicides through implementation of best management practices and coordination with the Board regarding subsequent application(s) or herbicide, as required. If you have any questions, please contact me at (802) 658-4140. Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

Sid DeCell
Terminal Manager

cc Tom Keefe

**NOTIFICATION OF HERBICIDE APPLICATION
GLOBAL COMPANIES LLC – BURLINGTON TERMINAL
2 FLYNN AVE – BURLINGTON, VT**

In conformance with City of Burlington Ordinance Chapter 17-9(d)(3)(d), Global Companies is providing notice to adjacent property owners of herbicide application at the Global Companies Burlington Terminal.

DATE OF HERBICIDE APPLICATION:

HERBICIDE: Rodeo Herbicide (EPA Registration #62719-324)

AREA OF APPLICATION: Facility Tank Farm and perimeter fence

APPLICATOR: Vegetation Control Service, Inc
2342 Main Street
Athol, MA 01331
(978) 249 5348

The herbicide application has been reviewed and approved by the City of Burlington Department of Health. Attached, please find the following:

- Rodeo Specimen Label
- Material Safety Data Sheet

If you have any questions regarding the herbicide application, please contact Sid DeCell, Terminal Manager at (802) 658-4140.